Subject: Fwd: Re: CPRA request (CD2.2019.07.16.a)
From: [redacted]
Date: 12/18/19, 8:40 PM
To: "Bethelwel Wilson" <bethelwel.wilson@lacity.org>
CC: "Tom Waldman" <tom.waldman@lacity.org>

Hi Mr. Wilson,

As you can see, possibly on the weirdly flawed advice of your office but maybe on his own initiative, Mr. Waldman of CD2 has insisted on printing out "three boxes" of emails rather than producing them electronically as required by the CPRA. Furthermore he insists that I will not be allowed to inspect this material on site but that I have to take possession of this material.

Not only is this contrary to the CPRA but, without going into further detail because it's really incredibly hard for me to imagine a judge ruling that I am somehow required to disclose private medical information precedent to enjoying my constitutional right to inspect records, I will also let you know that his insistence that I take possession of "three boxes" of paper on the 4th floor of City Hall is an ADA violation as well.

In any case, the ideal solution would be for the CA to advise City Departments that they're required to supply emails in electronic form. If you all aren't ready to do that right now then can you at least talk Mr. Waldman down off this bizarre "no onsite inspections allowed" ledge? I gave him until today to change his mind, but he hasn't done so. Please let me hear from you by COB Friday, December 20.

Also, can you please arrange for him to transfer the files he has produced electronically via Google Drive? His insistence that I come in person to receive them on a USB drive is really transparently obviously solely a delaying tactic and therefore contrary to law.

Thanks!

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From: [redacted]
To: Tom Waldman <tom.waldman@lacity.org>
Subject: Re: CPRA request (CD2.2019.07.16.a)
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